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AMEMBASSY PRAGUE

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SUBJECT: NEW JAPANESE AMBASSADOR TO PERU, SABURO KIMOTO

1. FOREIGN MINISTRY JANUARY 20 ANNOUNCED APPOINTMENT OF SABURO KIMOTON TIN AS AMBASSADOR TO PERU, VICE SHIGETO NIKAI, KIMOTO HAS SERVED AS AMBASSADOR TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA SINCE OCTOBER 1972, FOLLOWING AN ASSIGNMENT AS AMBASSADOR TO GHANA.

2. EMBASSY'S SKETCHY BIO INFORMATION ON KIMOTO SUGGESTS THAT KIMOTO IS AN EXPERT ON FISHERIES QUESTIONS; HE HAS REPRESENTED JAPAN AT INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES ON WHALING, MARITIME COOPERATION AND FISHERIES. IN MID-CAREER, AFTER A YEAR'S STUDY IN THE US, HE SERVED IN GERMANY (1956-58), AS A SECTION CHIEF IN THE MOFA TREATIES BUREAU (1951-54) AND FROM 1959-63 AS DIRECTOR OF THE WESTERN EUROPE DIVISION OF MOFA'S EUROPEAN BUREAU (1959-62). HE WENT AS COUNSELOR TO OTTAWA IN 1963, SERVED ON THE JAPANESE MISSION AT 20TH UNGA IN 1965, AND IN 1966 HE WAS POSTED TO LONDON FIRST AS MINISTER AND THEN AS MINISTER PLENIPOTENTIARY.

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3. EMBASSY HOPES PRAGUE CAN PUT SOME FLESH ON THESE
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